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**Stephen Thomas et al.** )  
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Serial No. **09/747,365** )  
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Filed: **December 22, 2000** )  
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For: **System and Method for the Secure** )  
**Enrollment of Devices with** )  
**Clearinghouse for Internet Telephony** )  
**and Multimedia Communications** )

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

July 24, 2001

Sir:

The above-identified Applicant respectfully requests a four-month extension of time within which to file a response to the Official Action dated February 13, 2001, to expire August 13, 2001. A check in the amount of \$695 is enclosed to cover the four-month extension of time fee. Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

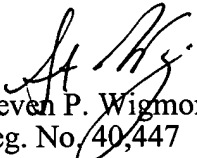
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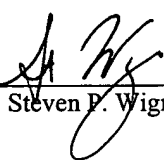
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